

Hong Kong Association of Washington (HKAW)



2010 Summer Outing - Geoduck Clam (*Panopea Abrupta*) digging

Wonderful outing for family with small children or adult!

Get to know the nature, get dirty digging the infamous clams, catch crab by walking in 1 feet deep water, enjoy summer day outdoor with friends

Date: Saturday July 10th, 2010 (with Minus 2"6" low tide)

Location: Birch Bay, Washington

Gathering time and location: 8:30 AM across the street from Sandcastle Hotel, 7866 Birch Bay drive (That means you have to leave Seattle by 6:30 AM)

Clam digging starts at 9:00 AM and end at noon, Optional Picnic lunch

Driving direction from Seattle:

- a) Go north on I-5, take exit 270 (Birth bay-Lynden Road),
- b) turn left onto Lynden road, drive until you reach the third stop sign (Waterslide on your right)
- c) Turn left onto Harborview Road
- d) Turn left onto Birch Bay drive
- e) Half mile to Sandcastle Hotel (on left side), the gathering place will be on your right on the beach parking area.

What to wear: short sleeve T shirt and short pant (bring a change of clothes with socks; everyone will get at least their feet wet.)

What else to bring: Garden shuffles, container for harvested clam, some water to wash your feet and some 5 gallon container to wash your feet with.

Permit: People that plan to dig **must** get a Washington fish and shellfish licenses (can be purchased from Fred Meyer or sporting goods store for \$8.18 for 1 day for state resident)

If you or your family is interested to join us; please contact Stan Wu at stanwu@hkaw.org or 206-380-9696. Also call if you have questions!